



**PUBLIC NOTICE OF FEDERAL CONSISTENCY DETERMINATION
CURRENTLY BEING COORDINATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

Pursuant to the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (CZMA), as amended, the Department of Environmental Quality is currently reviewing the following proposal for consistency with the Virginia Coastal Resources Management Program:

Project Title: Demolition of Ammunition Mooring Facility-3, Naval Station Norfolk

Project Description: The Department of the Navy proposes to demolish Ammunition Mooring Facility-3 (AMF-3) located approximately one mile off the tip of Naval Station Norfolk's Depermung Station in the Hampton Roads Waterway. AMF-3 consists of a barge mooring platform, associated concrete and steel breakwaters and dolphins, and a concrete storage building on top of the main platform. The concrete materials would be recycled as appropriate and the remaining undesirable materials would be transported by barge and disposed of at an approved landfill. The pilings would be removed from the river bottom by jet method. The consistency determination prepared for the project found the proposed action consistent with the enforceable policies of the Virginia Coastal Resources Management Program (VCP).

Section 306(d)(14) of the CZMA requires public participation in the federal consistency review process. The consistency determination for this project may be viewed at the Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Environmental Impact Review, 629 East Main Street, Room 633, Richmond, Virginia 23219. Also, citizens may send written comments to the attention of John Fisher at this address, or submit comments electronically to jefisher@deq.state.va.us. All comments must include name, address and telephone number of the person commenting.

Comments must be submitted by: July 13, 2004